

All garage sales being held in Jefferson Parish must have a “permit”.

Garage Sale permits are obtained through Jefferson Parish Inspection and Code Enforcement, located on the 1st floor of the Joseph Yenni Building, 1221 Elmwood Parkway, Jefferson, LA. The seller or their representative must fill out a simple form. The permit may be obtained up to the day prior to the sale. Upon payment a permit number will be issued.

There is a \$10.00 administrative charge for each sale (non-refundable), payable by cash or check made payable to **“Jefferson Parish Pooled Cash”**.

The maximum duration for any sale is two (2) consecutive days. If the sale should get “rained out” (cancelled due to rain), the Parish will extend the sale to the following weekend.

The sale time shall not exceed 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. A copy of the permit must be posted on the front of the building during the sale.

Only two (2) garage sales are permitted at any one address during a 12-month period.

JEFFERSON PARISH (UNINCORPORATED)
GARAGE SALE PERMIT APPLICATION
\$10.00 NON-REFUNDABLE

PERMIT # _____

DATE(S) OF SALE _____

PRINT NAME _____

ADDRESS OF SALE _____
(Street Address) (City)

PHONE _____
(Daytime) (Evening)

ITEMS TO BE SOLD _____

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE REQUIREMENTS, RULES AND LAWS CONCERNING SUCH SALES:

- A. \$10.00 ADMINISTRATIVE CHARGE FOR EACH SALE (NON-REFUNDABLE).
- B. ONLY TWO (2) GARAGE SALES AT THIS LOCATION IN ANY 12-MONTH PERIOD.
- C. NO SIGNS ALLOWED ON TELEPHONE POLES, NEUTRAL GROUNDS OR ANYWHERE ON ANY PARISH RIGHT-OF-WAY
- D. MAXIMUM DURATION OF SALE IS TWO (2) CONSECUTIVE DAYS.
- E. TIME OF SALE SHALL NOT EXCEED 8:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M.
- F. THIS PERMIT (YELLOW COPY) MUST BE PROMINENTLY POSTED ON FRONT OF BUILDING AT ALL TIMES DURING SALE.
- G. SEE COPY OF ORDINANCE 18640 REVERSE SIDE FOR FURTHER INSTRUCTION.

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

APPROVED BY INSPECTION & CODE ENFORCEMENT _____

On motion of Mr. Muniz, seconded by Mr. Giambelluca the following ordinance was offered as amended:

SUMMARY No. 16182, ORDINANCE No. 18640

An ordinance to amend 30-1 through 30-15 of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances, more particularly by amending said sections to further provide for fees for the conduct of garage, rummage, yard, craft and boutique sales within the confines of unincorporated Jefferson Parish.

WHEREAS, the quantity of garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sales within the confines of unincorporated Jefferson Parish are increasing; and

WHEREAS, a need to limit the amount of garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sales exists;

THE JEFFERSON PARISH COUNCIL HEREBY ORDAINS:

SECTION 30-1. Garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sales -Permit required.

Any person conducting a garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sale, to which the general public is invited, must first obtain a permit from the Department of Inspection and Code Enforcement.

The permit shall be prominently displayed at the sale's location during the entire time of the sale.

SECTION 30-2. Same - Articles for sale.

No items shall be purchased for a garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sale for the purpose of resale, considering that permitted sales purpose is to allow residents to dispose of unnecessary or unneeded items that have been accumulated, handcrafted or handmade by family members.

SECTION 30-3. Same - Multiple sales.

No person shall conduct more than two garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sales per residential location in a twelve-month period.

SECTION 30-4. Same – Duration

No person shall conduct a garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sale for more than two days, which will be held consecutively, starting after 8:00 a.m. and concluding before 5:00 p.m. daily.

SECTION 30-5. Same - Signs

Persons conducting a garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sale shall not place signs on any public property including, but not limited to, utility poles.

SECTION 30-6. Same - Cancellation.

Any person conducting a garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sale who has to cancel the activity may apply for a reschedule by notifying the Department of Inspection and Code Enforcement.

Section 30-7. Same Location

Garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sales may not be conducted on other than private property without consent of the Jefferson Parish Council. Schools, churches and recognized charitable institutions shall be exempt from this section.

SECTION 30-8. Same Fees.

A fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) per garage, rummage, yard, craft, and boutique sale shall be imposed. Said fee payable at time of application. Schools, Churches, and recognized charitable institutions in possession of a tax exempt status under the United States Internal Revenue Code, Section 501 (c), shall be exempt from this section providing the sale is conducted on the campus of the said institution.

SECTION 30-9. Same - Compliance Inspections

Compliance inspections shall be conducted by the Department at the will of the permitting officer or in response to a bonafide complaint initiated by the public.

SECTION 30-10. Same - Penalty for Violation.

Any person or persons violating any provisions of this article shall be subject to the penalties provided in section 1-10 of the Jefferson Parish Code of Ordinances.

The foregoing ordinance having been submitted to a vote, the vote thereon was as follows:

YEAS: 7 NAYS: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

The ordinance was declared to be adopted on this the 2nd day of December 1992, to become effective ten (10) days after the final adoption.